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SUBJECT: US INTENTIONS ON ANGOLA UN MEMBERSHIP

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1. DCM CONVEYED SUBSTANCE OF DEPARTMENT'S RESPONSE (REFTEL)
TO SOUTO MAIOR, FOREIGN MINISTER'S CHEFE DO GABINETE, WHO
SEEMED DISAPPOINTED NOT TO RECEIVE MORE PRECISE INFORMATION.

2. WE NOTE THIS ON ONE OF THE VERY FEW INSTANCES IN WHICH
BRAZILIANS HAVE SOUGHT OUR HELP ON A MATTER OF INTEREST TO
THEM IN UN, IN CONTRAST TO OUR FREQUENT APPROACHES TO THEM
FOR SUPPORT ON UN ISSUES. WE ALSO NOTE THAT THIS IS AMONG
FIRST OCCASSION IN WHICH BRAZILIANS HAVE INVOKED CONSULTATIVE
ARRANGEMENTS IN APPROACHING US AND THAT SUBJECT OF CONSULTATION,
AFRICA, IS AREA OF COMMON INTEREST.

3. THEREFORE, WE BELEIVE IT WOULD BE VERY USEFUL TO GIVE
BRAZILIANS ADVANCE INDICATION--AT LEAST 24 HOURS IF POSSIBLE--
OF OUR DECISION, PARTICULARLY NOW THAT WE UNDERSTAND ANGOLAN
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP WAS CIRCULATED NOV 16.
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